UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN, SOUTHERN DIVISION

MARK DOBRONSKI,

Case No. 2:22-cv-12039-JJCG

Plaintiff,

Hon. Denise Page Hood

v.

Magistrate Judge Jonathan J.C. Grey

FAMILY FIRST LIFE, LLC, et al.,

Defendants.

MOTION TO WITHDRAW ECF NO. 108 IN LIGHT OF FLORIDA COURT'S DEFAULT JUDGMENT ORDER

Defendant Family First Life, LLC ("FFL") respectfully requests that the Court withdraw FFL's Motion to Dismiss, Stay, or Transfer Under the First to File Rule, ECF No. 108. In support of this Motion, FFL submits two recent orders in *Family First Life, LLC v. David Rutstein, et al.*, Case No. 9:22-cv-80243 (S.D. Fla., filed Feb. 15, 2022): (1) the Order Granting FFL's Motion for Default Judgment as to Damages, attached hereto as **Exhibit A**; and (2) the Order Accepting the Magistrates' Report and Recommendation for FFL's Attorneys' Fees, attached hereto as **Exhibit B**. Since the entry of these orders, FFL's Motion at ECF No. 108 is now moot. The Court therefore only needs to address FFL's motion to dismiss, ECF No. 107, at the upcoming hearing on September 27, 2023.

In the Default Judgment Order entered on August 18, 2023, Judge Cannon accepted FFL's damages request for \$5,299,519 trebled to \$15,898,557 against Defendant David Rutstein and his business "NAAIP" and ordered \$43,000 in civil sanctions. **Exhibit A** at 3-4, 6, 8. Then on September 12, 2023, Judge Cannon entered the Attorneys' Fees Order, accepting the Magistrate's Report and Recommendation to Grant FFL's Motion for Attorneys' Fees. **Exhibit B** at 1. The case is now closed, and the issues briefed in FFL's Motion under the First to File Rule, ECF No. 108, are therefore moot, notwithstanding Plaintiff Dobronski's affiliations and communications with Rutstein.

Dated: September 18, 2023 Respectfully submitted,

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